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UNITED STATES	**243,400**	**241,095**	**226,549**	**2,305**	**16,854**	**7.4**	**282,055**	**–/–/–**	**3,618.8/–**	**68/–**	**26,716**	**14,745**	**4,884**	**30,165**	**22/12**	**182,628**	**18,033**	**53**	**435**	**560**	**538**	**435**	**U.S.**
NORTHEAST	**50,278**	**50,056**	**49,135**	**222**	**1,142**	**2.3**	**52,496**	**–/–/–**	**166.9/–**	**300/–**	**4,957**	**3,452**	**–363**	**5,565**	**20/14**	**38,402**	**2,115**	**56**	**95**	**529**	**113**	**88**	**N.E.**
NEW ENGLAND	**12,844**	**12,742**	**12,348**	**102**	**496**	**4.0**	**14,243**	**–/–/–**	**66.2/–**	**204/–**	**1,244**	**834**	**66**	**584**	**19/13**	**9,920**	**774**	**59**	**24**	**535**	**36**	**23**	**N.ENG.**
Maine	1,187	1,172	1,125	15	62	5.5	1,308	38/38/41	33.3/39	38/36	121	79	20	4	21/13	893	82	65	2	594	4	2	ME
New Hampshire	1,057	1,027	921	30	136	14.8	1,455	42/40/40	9.3/44	118/19	105	58	90	7	21/12	823	151	53	2	529	4	2	NH
Vermont	548	541	511	7	37	7.2	608	48/48/49	9.6/43	59/30	58	33	12	2	21/12	412	42	60	1	548	3	1	VT
Massachusetts	5,855	5,834	5,737	21	118	2.1	6,255	11/13/13	8.3/45	748/ 3	564	397	–49	275	18/14	4,535	257	58	11	532	13	10	MA
Rhode Island	986	975	947	11	39	4.1	1,085	40/43/42	1.2/50	935/ 2	92	68	15	37	19/15	764	54	56	2	493	4	2	RI
Connecticut	3,211	3,193	3,108	18	104	3.3	3,532	25/26/27	5.0/48	659/ 4	304	199	–1	259	19/13	2,492	188	61	6	535	8	6	CT
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	**37,433**	**37,313**	**36,787**	**120**	**647**	**1.8**	**38,253**	**–/–/–**	**102.2/–**	**375/–**	**3,713**	**2,617**	**–449**	**4,982**	**20/14**	**28,482**	**1,341**	**53**	**71**	**527**	**77**	**65**	**M.ATL.**
New York	17,825	17,795	17,558	30	267	1.5	18,139	2/ 2/ 3	49.1/30	376/ 6	1,822	1,230	–324	2,791	20/13	13,480	547	51	34	524	36	31	NY
New Jersey	7,672	7,625	7,365	47	307	4.2	8,980	9/ 9/10	7.8/46	1,027/ 1	735	503	75	1,089	19/13	5,943	521	57	14	548	16	14	NJ
Pennsylvania	11,936	11,894	11,864	42	72	0.6	11,134	4/ 5/ 6	45.3/33	266/ 8	1,157	884	–201	1,101	19/15	9,060	273	54	23	519	25	20	PA
MIDWEST	**59,538**	**59,292**	**58,866**	**246**	**673**	**1.1**	**59,018**	**–/–/–**	**786.4/–**	**79/–**	**6,626**	**3,811**	**–2,142**	**5,862**	**22/13**	**43,952**	**1,759**	**59**	**113**	**527**	**137**	**104**	**M.W.**
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	**41,904**	**41,722**	**41,582**	**182**	**322**	**0.5**	**41,111**	**–/–/–**	**246.5/–**	**172/–**	**4,619**	**2,656**	**–1,741**	**4,997**	**22/12**	**30,914**	**1,149**	**58**	**80**	**524**	**90**	**73**	**E.N.C.**
Ohio	10,784	10,748	10,798	36	–14	–0.1	10,397	6/ 7/ 7	41.3/35	263/ 9	1,173	709	–478	1,166	21/13	7,970	226	58	21	514	23	19	OH
Indiana	5,531	5,503	5,490	28	41	0.7	5,409	12/14/17	36.2/38	154/15	596	347	–207	458	22/12	4,068	176	56	10	553	12	10	IN
Illinois	11,582	11,551	11,427	31	156	1.4	11,495	5/ 6/ 5	56.3/24	208/11	1,316	740	–420	1,832	22/12	8,550	315	57	22	526	24	20	IL
Michigan	9,200	9,139	9,262	61	–62	–0.7	9,097	8/ 8/ 8	58.5/23	162/14	1,002	561	–503	1,319	22/12	6,791	271	58	18	511	20	16	MI
Wisconsin	4,807	4,783	4,706	24	101	2.1	4,713	16/17/20	56.2/26	88/24	533	299	–133	222	22/13	3,536	161	64	9	534	11	8	WI
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	**17,634**	**17,569**	**17,183**	**65**	**451**	**2.6**	**17,907**	**–/–/–**	**517.9/–**	**35/–**	**2,007**	**1,155**	**–401**	**865**	**22/14**	**13,037**	**610**	**61**	**33**	**534**	**47**	**31**	**W.N.C.**
Minnesota	4,246	4,213	4,076	33	170	4.2	4,578	21/21/22	84.4/12	53/32	487	247	–70	64	22/13	3,161	228	68	8	531	10	8	MN
Iowa	2,834	2,850	2,914	–16	–80	–2.7	2,382	27/29/33	56.3/25	51/33	312	197	–194	50	21/15	2,068	–31	62	6	472	8	5	IA
Missouri	5,103	5,064	4,917	39	186	3.8	5,521	15/15/15	69.7/19	74/27	551	358	–7	549	21/14	3,821	243	57	9	567	11	9	MO
North Dakota	672	679	653	–7	19	2.9	611	46/46/48	70.7/17	10/45	86	40	–27	3	24/13	483	16	63	1	672	3	1	ND
South Dakota	709	708	691	1	18	2.7	722	45/45/47	77.1/16	9/46	90	48	–24	2	23/14	509	21	63	1	709	3	1	SD
Nebraska	1,594	1,598	1,570	–4	25	1.6	1,529	35/36/38	77.4/15	21/41	189	107	–58	53	22/14	1,167	34	56	3	531	5	3	NE
Kansas	2,476	2,459	2,364	17	112	4.7	2,564	32/32/32	82.3/14	30/38	291	159	–20	142	22/14	1,829	99	57	5	495	7	4	KS
SOUTH	**83,684**	**83,003**	**75,372**	**681**	**8,311**	**11.3**	**104,919**	**–/–/–**	**696.6/–**	**96/–**	**9,199**	**5,001**	**4,313**	**15,925**	**22/12**	**63,032**	**8,475**	**49**	**142**	**591**	**177**	**152**	**S**
SOUTH ATLANTIC	**41,684**	**40,938**	**36,959**	**746**	**4,725**	**12.8**	**55,110**	**–/–/–**	**278.9/–**	**156/–**	**4,174**	**2,535**	**3,087**	**8,850**	**20/13**	**32,137**	**4,864**	**48**	**69**	**604**	**88**	**75**	**S.ATL.**
Delaware	644	633	594	11	50	8.3	790	47/47/45	2.0/49	333/ 7	66	35	19	120	21/12	490	58	56	1	644	3	1	DE
Maryland	4,535	4,461	4,217	74	318	7.5	5,688	18/19/14	10.5/42	461/ 5	472	257	103	1,176	20/11	3,491	411	51	8	567	10	8	MD
District of Columbia	622	625	638	–3	–16	–2.6	672	–/–/–	0.1/–	9,873/–	70	50	–36	426	18/12	489	–6	43	–	–	3	–	DC
Virginia	5,904	5,795	5,347	109	557	10.4	7,410	14/12/12	40.8/36	149/16	602	319	274	1,136	20/11	4,544	614	51	10	590	12	11	VA
West Virginia	1,897	1,917	1,950	–20	–52	–2.7	1,617	34/34/36	24.2/41	79/26	187	140	–99	57	21/14	1,398	–2	52	4	474	6	3	WV
North Carolina	6,413	6,331	5,882	82	531	9.0	8,154	10/10/11	52.7/28	131/17	628	371	275	1,445	21/12	4,913	639	47	11	583	13	12	NC
South Carolina	3,425	3,381	3,122	44	303	9.7	4,205	24/24/24	31.1/40	113/20	374	192	121	1,043	23/11	2,534	319	41	6	571	8	6	SC
Georgia	6,222	6,100	5,463	122	759	13.9	9,045	13/11/ 9	58.9/21	107/21	674	338	424	1,716	23/10	4,665	795	42	10	622	12	12	GA
Florida	12,023	11,694	9,746	329	2,277	23.4	17,530	7/ 4/ 4	58.7/22	222/10	1,102	832	2,007	1,732	18/18	9,614	2,036	48	19	633	21	22	FL
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	**15,290**	**15,200**	**14,666**	**90**	**623**	**4.3**	**16,847**	**–/–/–**	**181.9/–**	**56/–**	**1,639**	**989**	**–26**	**3,069**	**22/12**	**11,284**	**885**	**50**	**28**	**546**	**36**	**28**	**E.S.C.**
Kentucky	3,727	3,726	3,661	1	66	1.8	3,710	23/23/26	40.4/37	94/23	397	247	–84	276	22/12	2,746	150	51	7	532	9	7	KY
Tennessee	4,855	4,800	4,591	55	264	5.7	5,500	17/16/16	42.1/34	118/18	483	306	87	792	21/12	3,661	338	49	9	539	11	9	TN
Alabama	4,083	4,050	3,894	33	189	4.9	4,609	22/22/21	51.7/29	80/25	437	264	16	1,055	22/12	3,010	253	50	7	583	9	7	AL
Mississippi	2,625	2,624	2,521	1	104	4.1	3,028	31/31/29	47.7/32	56/31	322	173	–45	946	25/12	1,867	144	52	5	525	7	5	MS
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	**26,910**	**26,864**	**23,747**	**46**	**3,163**	**13.3**	**32,961**	**–/–/–**	**437.7/–**	**63/–**	**3,386**	**1,475**	**1,253**	**4,006**	**24/11**	**19,610**	**2,726**	**50**	**45**	**598**	**53**	**49**	**W.S.C.**
Arkansas	2,388	2,371	2,286	17	102	4.5	2,624	33/33/31	53.2/27	46/35	256	169	15	384	22/15	1,761	133	52	4	597	6	4	AR
Louisiana	4,461	4,499	4,206	–38	255	6.1	4,545	19/20/23	47.8/31	100/22	591	263	–74	1,362	25/11	3,175	256	55	8	558	10	8	LA
Oklahoma	3,272	3,306	3,025	–34	247	8.2	3,511	26/27/28	70.0/18	48/34	392	212	67	222	23/13	2,404	197	52	6	545	8	6	OK
Texas	16,789	16,689	14,229	100	2,559	18.0	22,281	3/ 3/ 2	266.8/ 2	64/29	2,148	833	1,245	2,037	25/10	12,270	2,140	47	27	622	29	31	TX
WEST	**48,700**	**48,745**	**43,172**	**955**	**6,528**	**15.1**	**65,622**	**–/–/–**	**1,785.9/–**	**28/–**	**5,934**	**2,481**	**3,075**	**2,812**	**23/11**	**37,242**	**5,684**	**52**	**85**	**585**	**111**	**91**	**W**
MOUNTAIN	**13,167**	**12,982**	**11,373**	**185**	**1,794**	**15.8**	**17,679**	**–/–/–**	**863.6/–**	**15/–**	**1,687**	**619**	**727**	**340**	**24/11**	**9,691**	**1,623**	**53**	**24**	**549**	**40**	**25**	**MTN.**
Montana	809	817	787	–8	23	2.9	794	44/44/44	147.0/ 4	6/48	100	49	–29	2	23/13	586	26	65	2	405	4	1	MT
Idaho	998	1,002	944	–4	54	5.8	1,079	41/42/43	83.6/13	12/44	133	52	–27	4	26/12	701	55	60	2	499	4	2	ID
Wyoming	490	507	470	–17	21	4.4	487	49/50/50	97.8/ 9	5/49	72	23	–28	4	26/ 9	351	19	53	1	490	3	1	WY
Colorado	3,296	3,266	2,890	30	406	14.1	4,098	28/26/25	104.1/ 8	32/37	391	145	160	128	22/ 9	2,489	366	55	6	549	8	6	CO
New Mexico	1,500	1,479	1,303	21	197	15.1	2,248	37/37/34	121.6/ 5	12/43	198	68	68	27	25/10	1,101	201	51	3	500	5	3	NM
Arizona	3,386	3,279	2,718	107	668	24.6	5,319	29/25/18	114.0/ 6	30/39	401	170	437	94	23/13	2,605	635	45	5	677	7	7	AZ
Utah	1,680	1,664	1,461	16	219	15.0	2,171	36/35/35	84.9/11	20/42	284	63	–2	12	32/ 8	1,078	143	62	3	560	5	3	UT
Nevada	1,007	967	800	40	207	25.8	1,484	43/41/39	110.6/ 7	9/47	107	50	149	69	21/11	780	178	42	2	504	4	2	NV
PACIFIC	**35,533**	**35,763**	**31,800**	**770**	**4,733**	**14.9**	**47,943**	**–/–/–**	**921.4/–**	**41/–**	**4,247**	**1,862**	**2,349**	**2,473**	**22/11**	**27,552**	**4,061**	**52**	**61**	**599**	**71**	**55**	**PAC.**
Washington	4,538	4,463	4,132	75	406	9.8	5,282	20/18/19	68.1/20	68/28	503	241	145	113	21/12	3,417	377	58	8	567	10	8	WA
Oregon	2,724	2,702	2,633	22	91	3.4	2,991	30/30/30	97.1/10	28/40	294	164	–39	43	21/14	2,051	122	62	5	545	7	5	OR
California	27,663	27,001	23,668	662	3,995	16.9	37,347	1/ 1/ 1	158.7/ 3	177/12	3,232	1,403	2,167	2,278	22/11	20,875	3,327	50	45	615	47	50	CA
Alaska	525	532	402	–7	123	30.7	765	50/49/46	591.0/ 1	1/50	85	14	53	19	28/ 4	385	108	59	1	525	3	1	AK
Hawaii	1,083	1,065	965	18	118	12.2	1,559	39/39/37	6.5/47	169/13	134	39	23	20	22/10	824	127	44	2	542	4	2	HI

	Population, 1987	Population, 1986	Population, 1980	Change, 1986-1987	Change, 1980-1987	Change(%), 1980-1987	Population, 2010	Rank, 1980/1987/2010	Area/Rank	Population Density/Rank	Births, 1980-1987	Deaths, 1980-1987	Net Migration, 1980-1987	Black Population, 1988	Below 15/65+	Voting Ages Pop., 1988	Change in Voting Pop.	Voter Participation	House Seats, 1988	Pop. per House Seat	Electoral Votes	House Seats, 1990	

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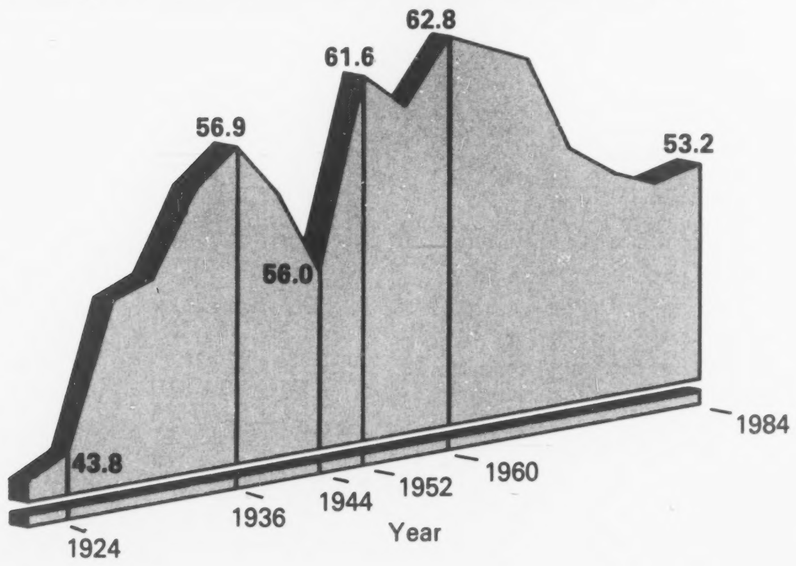

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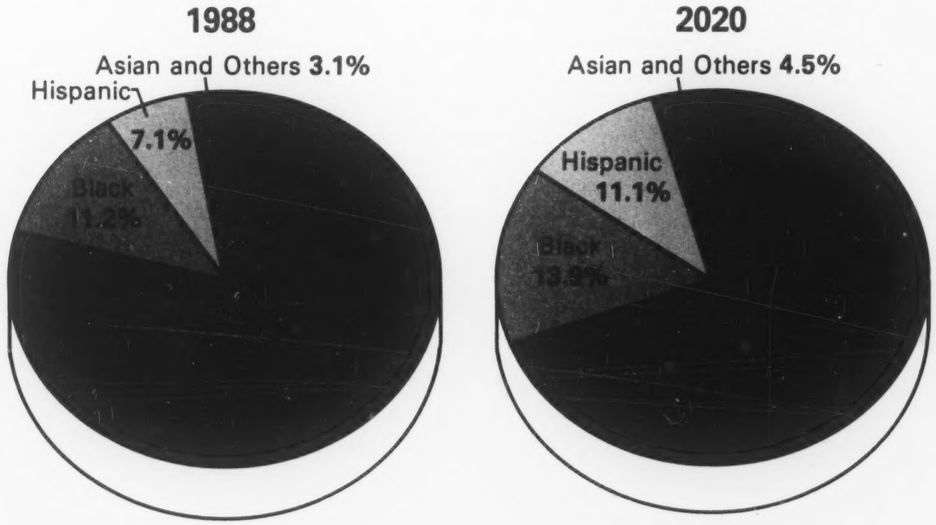

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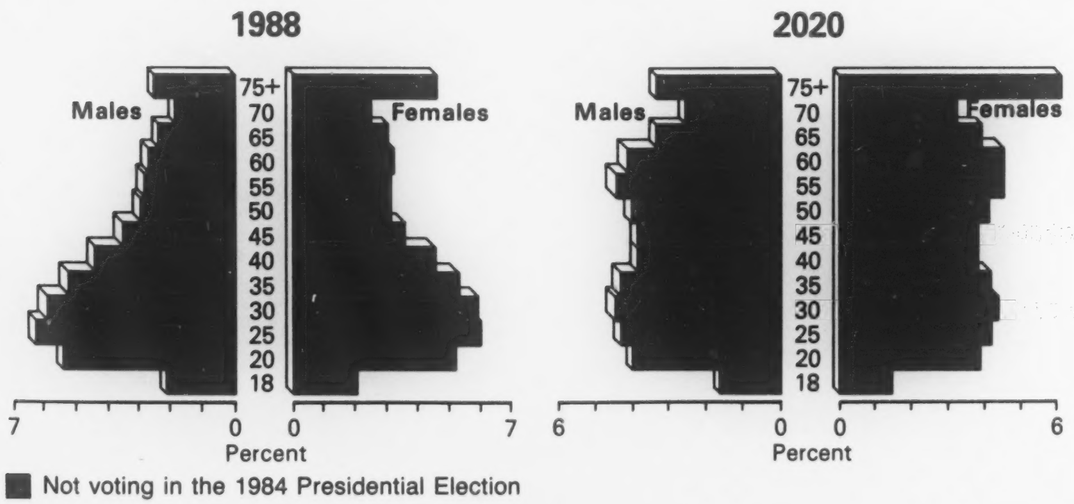

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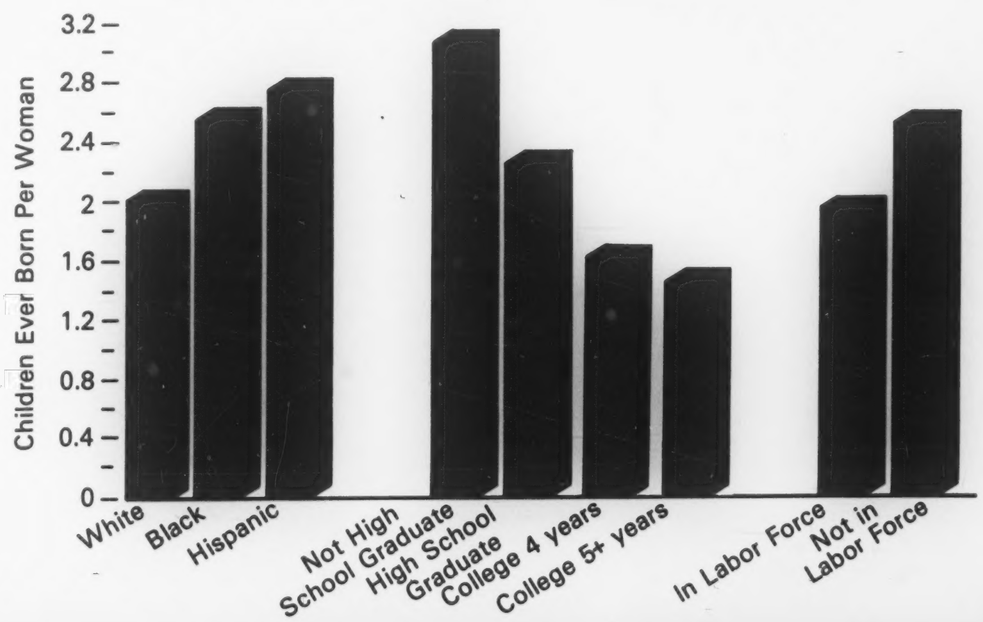

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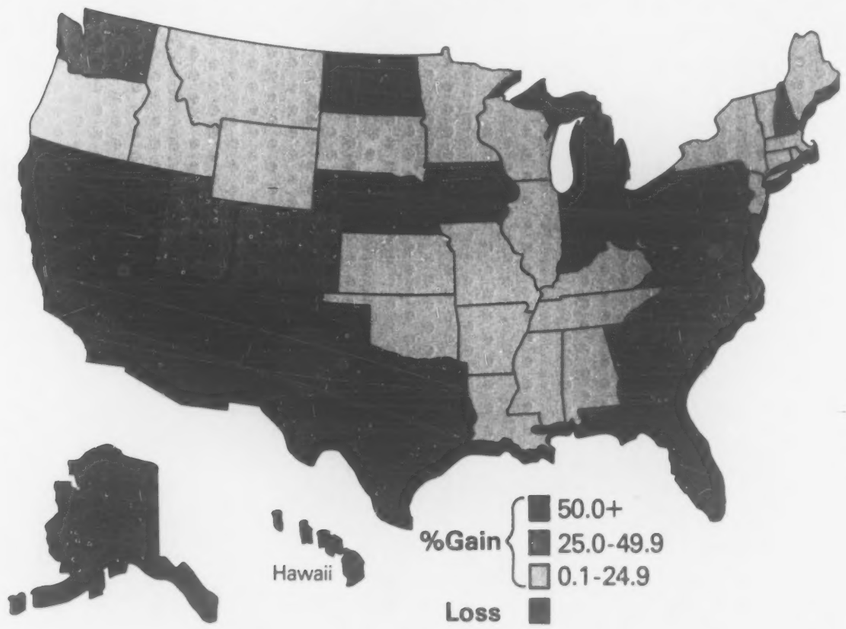
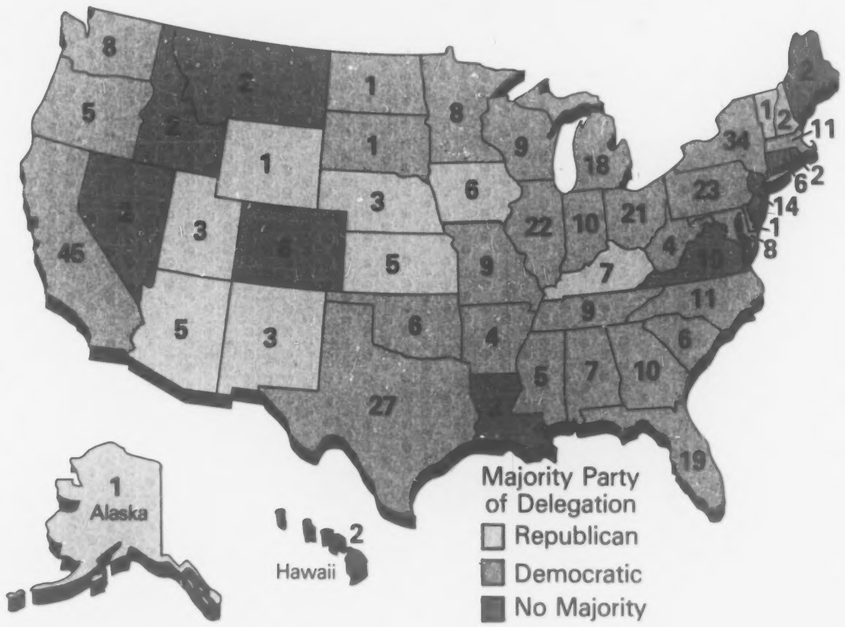


House Seats by State, 1988



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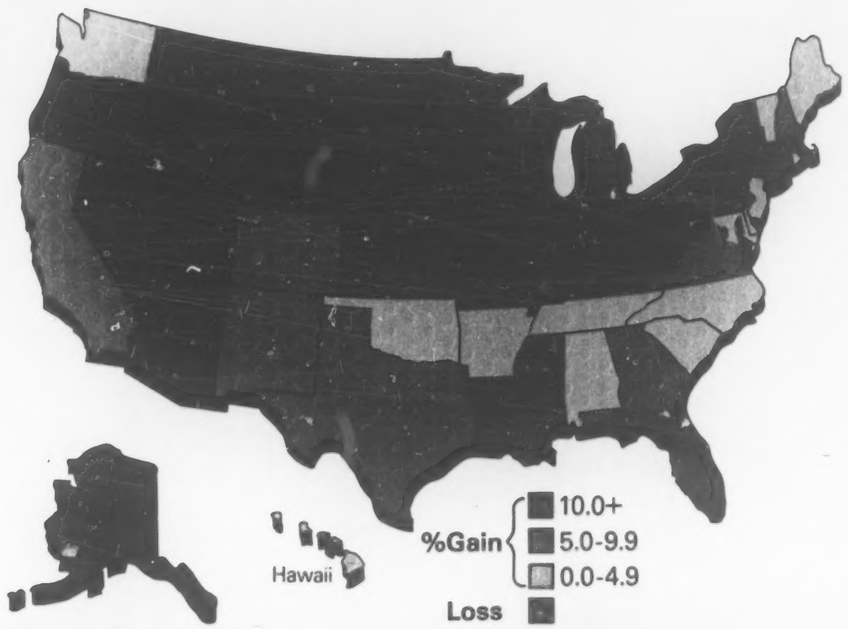
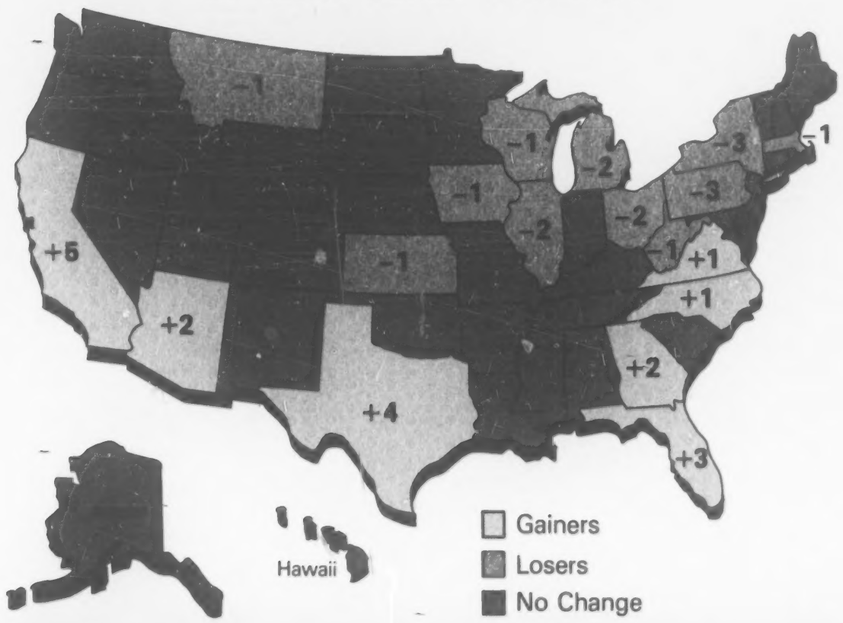


The Shifting Balance: Projected Shifts in House Seats, 1980-1990



Apportioning the House

As specified in the Constitution, the decennial census counts are used to allocate the 435 seats in the House of Representatives among the states. The process is somewhat more complex than might at first be assumed. Each state, of course, receives one or more seats based on its share of the national population. But how is this done? It quickly becomes evident that it is not possible to divide the census count by 435 to obtain equal Congressional Districts and then assign the seats among the 50 states. The system actually used is called the *method of equal proportions*.

First, each state is automatically assigned one seat. The real problem lies in the distribution of the remaining 385. Those seats are distributed using a set of *priority values* which are derived by multiplying each state's population by the following factor:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{N(N-1)}},$$

where N is the number of the seat to be assigned. An example: California's claim to a second seat would be assigned as follows:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2(2-1)}} = 0.7072$$

California's 1980 Census population is then multiplied by the factor for the second seat to obtain the priority value:

$$23{,}667{,}902 \times 0.7072 = 16{,}737{,}940.$$

This process is repeated for each state's claim to an additional seat. The priority values which result are ranked from highest to lowest, and the remaining seats are distributed to the states as they appear in turn in the ranking list. States with large populations will obviously appear more frequently as one goes down the list of priority values and will receive seats more frequently. States with small populations will have low priority values and will not appear until after the full House has been apportioned. Hence, Vermont and North Dakota receive only the one seat allocated at the beginning of the process.

The method of equal proportions was developed in 1920 by Prof. Edward Huntington of Harvard and adopted for use by Congress after the 1940 Census. No method can produce exactly equal Congressional Districts, but this method mathematically minimizes the differences as much as possible. After the 1980 Census, Arizona, with a population of 2.7 million and Kansas with 2.4 were both awarded five seats. By 1987, Arizona had grown to 3.4 million while Kansas' population size remained almost stable. The 1990 Census will provide the data to adjust for that imbalance and the process will begin again.

General Notes

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Sources and Definitions

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April 1, 1990 is Census Day and will see the taking of the nation's "200th anniversary" decennial headcount. The size and distribution of the population of the states has changed greatly since the first census in 1790. The table below gives populations beginning with the eighteen states enumerated in 1790 along with estimates for the remaining states on an early date in their history. Population change in the past century can be observed by comparing the 1890 data below to projected population in 1990.

First Census or Early Estimate and 1890 Population
(in 1000s)

	Census or Estimate	Year	1890 Population		Census or Estimate	Year	1890 Population
Connecticut	238	1790	746	Alabama	128	1820	1,513
Delaware	59	1790	168	Mississippi	75	1820	1,290
Georgia	83	1790	1,837	Florida	35	1830	391
Kentucky	74	1790	1,859	Iowa	43	1840	1,912
Maine	97	1790	661	Wisconsin	31	1840	1,693
Maryland	320	1790	1,042	California	93	1850	1,213
Massachusetts	379	1790	2,239	Minnesota	6	1850	1,310
New Hampshire	142	1790	377	Texas	213	1850	2,236
New Jersey	184	1790	1,445	Utah	11	1850	211
New York	340	1790	6,003	Colorado	34	1860	413
North Carolina	394	1790	1,618	Kansas	107	1860	1,428
Pennsylvania	434	1790	5,258	Nebraska	29	1860	1,063
Rhode Island	69	1790	346	Nevada	7	1860	47
South Carolina	249	1790	1,151	North Dakota	5	1860	191
Tennessee	36	1790	1,768	Oregon	52	1860	318
Vermont	85	1790	332	Arizona	10	1870	88
Virginia	692	1790	1,656	Idaho	15	1870	89
West Virginia	56	1790	763	Montana	21	1870	143
District of Columbia	8	1800	230	New Mexico	92	1870	160
Indiana	6	1800	2,192	South Dakota	12	1870	349
Ohio	45	1800	3,672	Washington	24	1870	357
Arkansas	1	1810	1,128	Wyoming	9	1870	63
Illinois	12	1810	3,826	Alaska	33	1880	32
Louisiana	77	1810	1,119	Oklahoma	259	1890	259
Michigan	5	1810	2,094	Hawaii	154	1900	90
Missouri	20	1810	2,679				

"Century" Census Populations:
August 2, 1790: 3,929,214
June 1, 1890: 62,947,714
April 1, 1990: 250,100,000
(projected)

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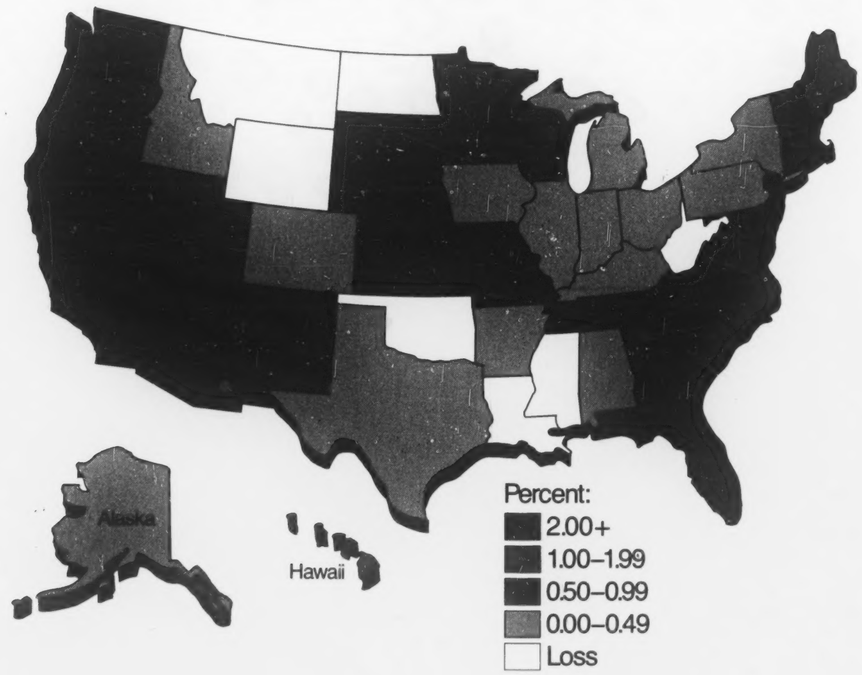

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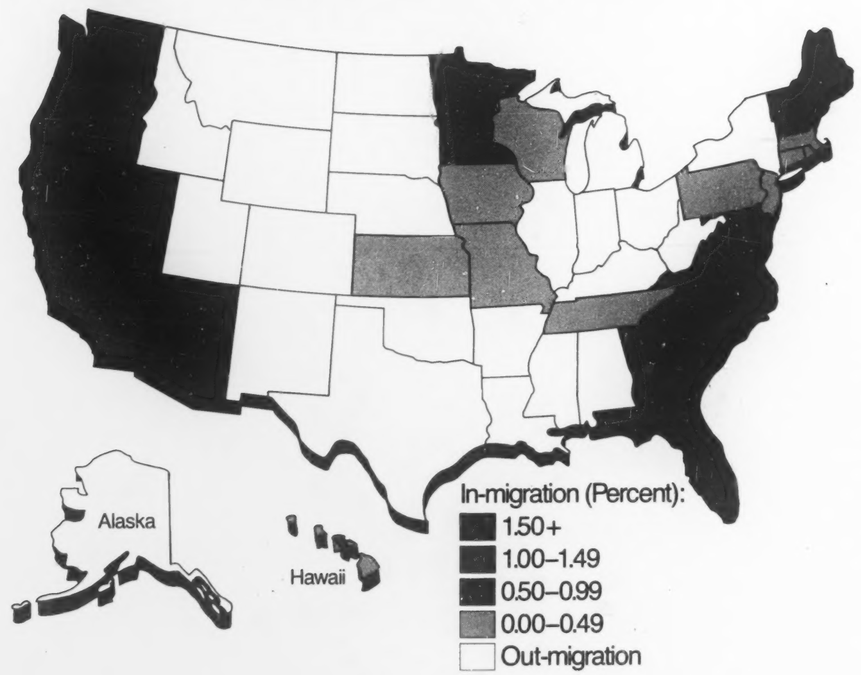

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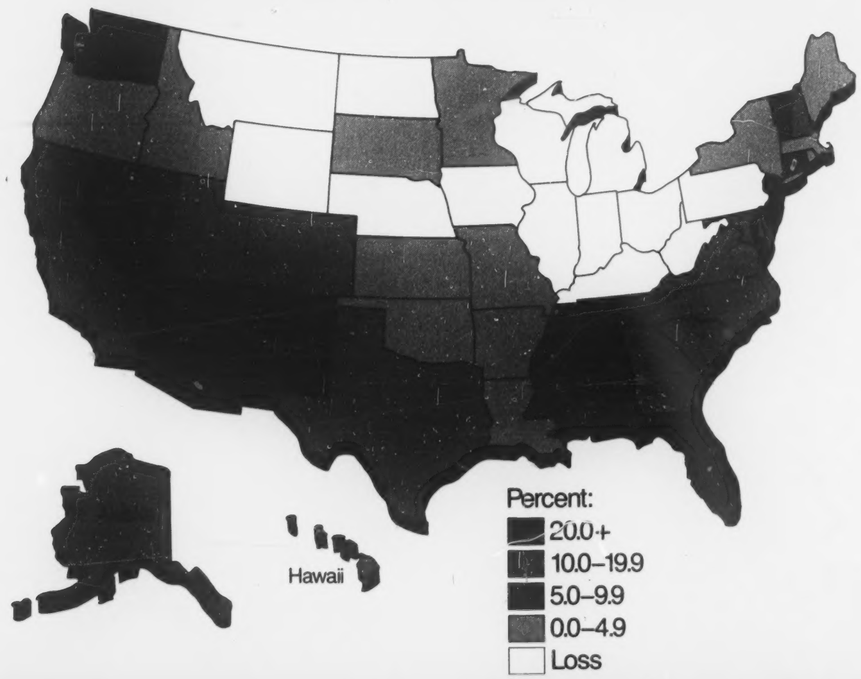

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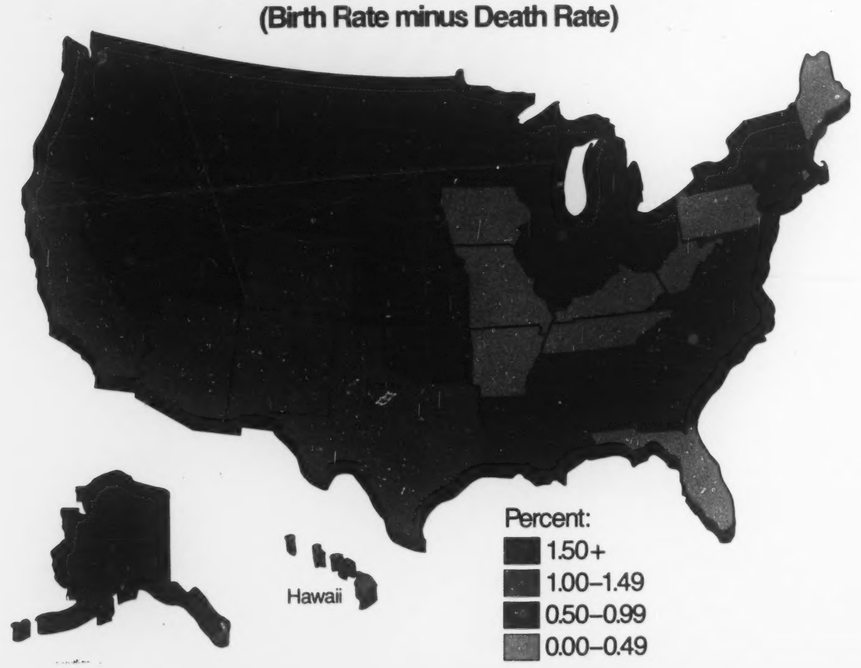

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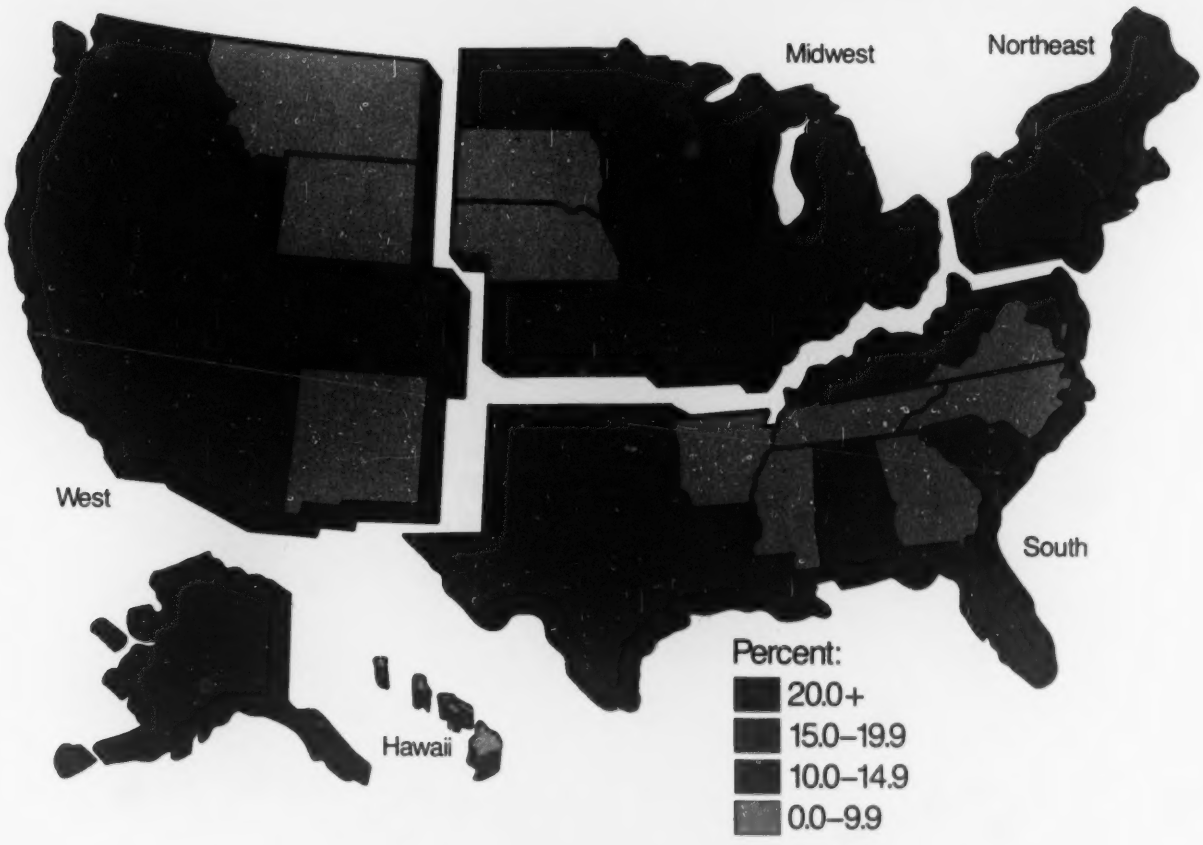

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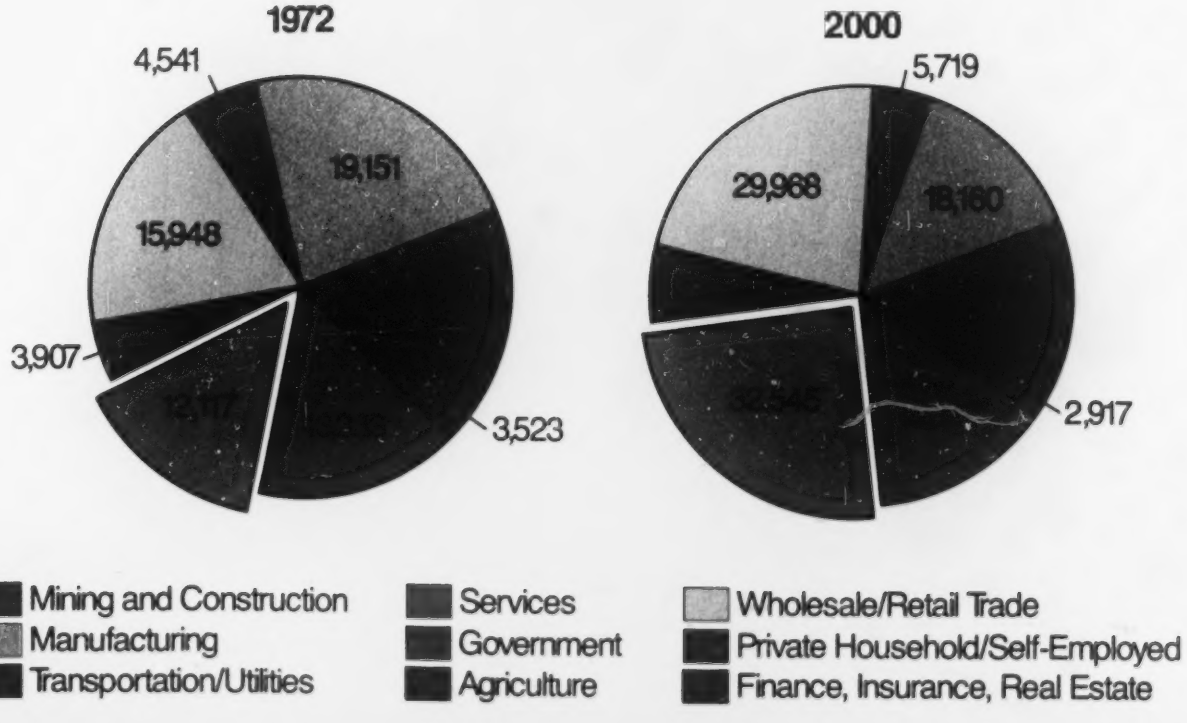

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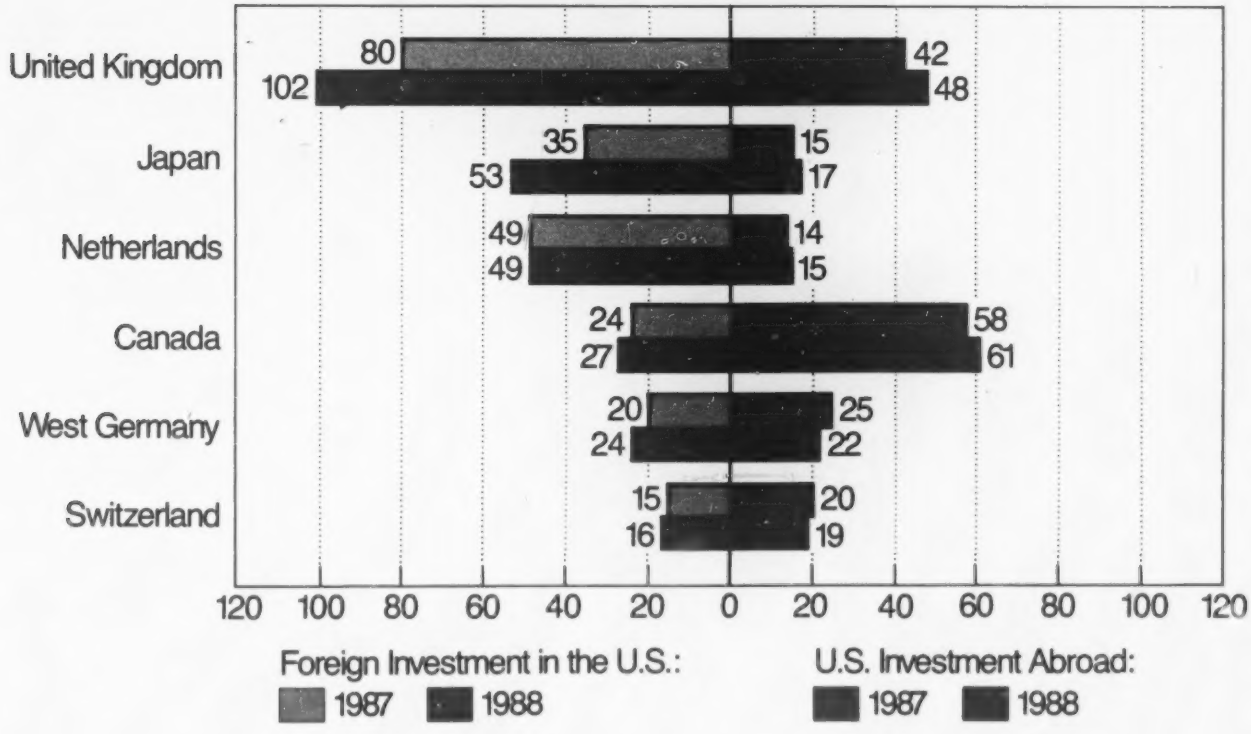

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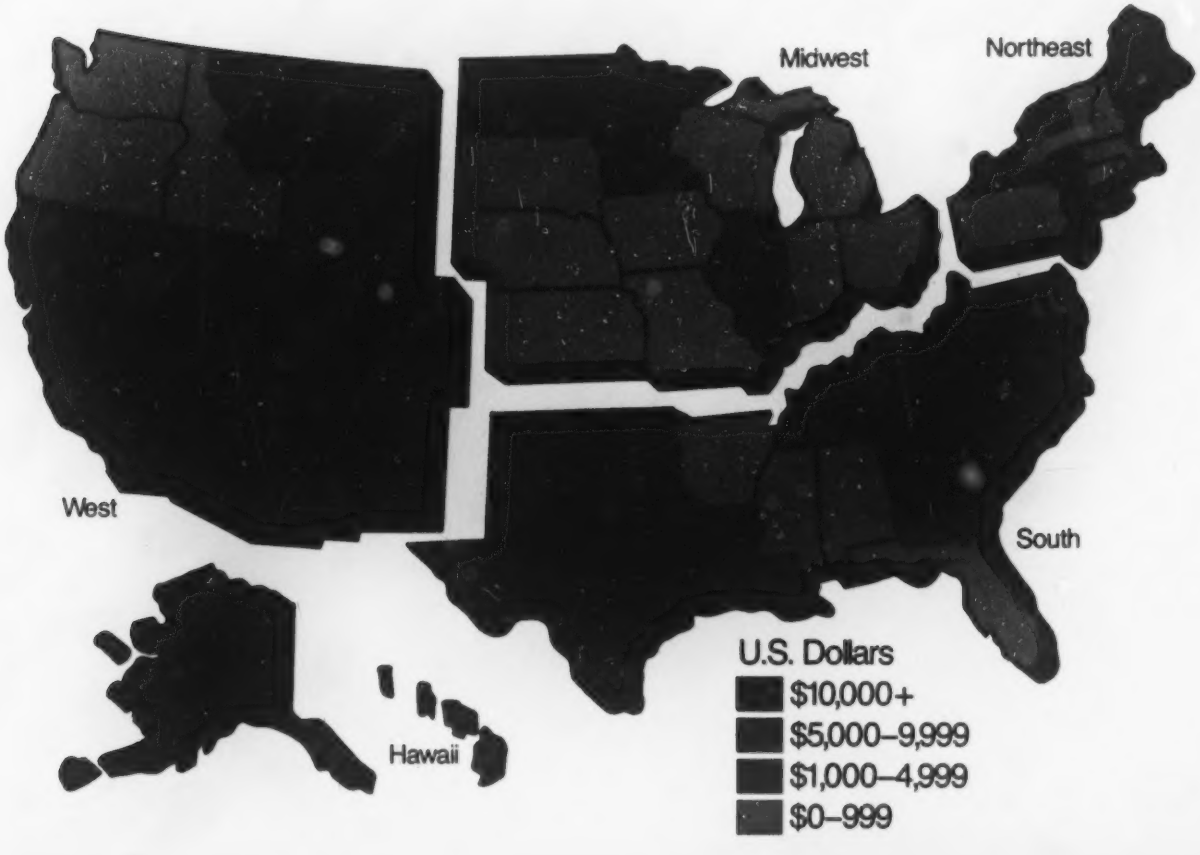

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	Resident Population, July 1, 1988 (in 1000s)	Resident Population, July 1, 1987 (in 1000s)	Resident Population, April 1, 1980 (in 1000s)	Population Change, July 1, 1987 to July 1, 1988 (in 1000s)	Population Change, April 1, 1980 to July 1, 1988 (in 1000s)	Population Change, April 1, 1980 to July 1, 1988 (percent)	Resident Population Projected to July 1, 1990 (in 1000s)	Resident Population Projected to July 1, 2010 (in 1000s)	Rank Order of Population Size, 1980/1988/2010	Total Area, 1000s of Sq. Miles/ Rank Order	Persons per Sq. Mile of Land Area, 1988/Rank Order	Total Number of Births, July 1, 1987 to July 1, 1988	Total Number of Deaths, July 1, 1987 to July 1, 1988	Estimated Total Net Migration, July 1, 1987 to July 1, 1988	Net Migration Rate, July 1, 1988 (Per 1,000 Population)	Rate of Natural Increase, July 1, 1987 to July 1, 1988 (Per 1,000 Population)	Legal Immigrants Admitted by State of Intended Residence, FY 1987	Estimated Black Population, July 1, 1985 (in 1000s)	Estimated Hispanic Population, July 1, 1985 (in 1000s)	Percent of Population Below Age 18/ 65 and Over, 1988	Percent of Manufacturing Employment Export-Related, 1986	
UNITED STATES	**245,807**	**243,419**	**226,546**	**2,388**	**19,261**	**8.5**	**249,891**	**282,055**	**–/–/–**	**3,618.8/–**	**69/–**	**3,853,039**	**2,168,635**	**703,596**	**2.9**	**6.9**	**594,065**	**28,902**	**17,517**	**26.0/12.4**	**13**	**U.S.A.**
NORTHEAST	**50,595**	**50,294**	**49,135**	**301**	**1,459**	**3.0**	**50,577**	**52,496**	**–/–/–**	**168.9/–**	**311/–**	**743,945**	**497,217**	**54,272**	**1.1**	**4.9**	**185,197**	**5,405**	**2,937**	**23.9/13.6**	**13**	**N.E.**
NEW ENGLAND	**12,963**	**12,843**	**12,348**	**120**	**615**	**5.0**	**13,078**	**14,243**	**–/–/–**	**66.7/–**	**206/–**	**190,019**	**119,913**	**49,894**	**3.9**	**5.4**	**29,555**	**546**	**327**	**23.5/13.4**	**15**	**N.ENG.**
Maine	1,205	1,186	1,125	19	81	7.2	1,212	1,308	38/38/41	33.3/39	39/36	16,938	11,515	13,577	11.4	4.5	855	4	4	25.2/13.4	12	ME
New Hampshire	1,085	1,056	921	29	165	17.9	1,142	1,455	42/40/40	9.3/44	121/18	17,222	8,609	20,387	19.0	8.0	1,070	5	6	25.3/11.3	15	NH
Vermont	557	547	511	10	46	9.0	562	608	48/48/49	9.6/43	60/30	8,214	4,887	6,673	12.1	6.0	517	2	4	25.3/11.8	20	VT
Massachusetts	5,889	5,856	5,737	33	152	2.7	5,880	6,255	11/13/13	8.3/45	753/ 3	86,421	57,054	3,633	0.6	5.0	16,630	258	154	22.6/13.7	16	MA
Rhode Island	993	986	947	7	46	4.8	1,002	1,085	40/43/42	1.2/50	941/ 2	14,054	9,919	2,865	2.9	4.2	2,425	34	20	23.2/14.7	12	RI
Connecticut	3,233	3,212	3,108	21	126	4.0	3,279	3,532	25/28/27	5.0/48	664/ 4	47,170	27,929	1,759	0.5	6.0	8,058	244	139	23.5/13.5	16	CT
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	**37,631**	**37,452**	**36,787**	**179**	**845**	**2.3**	**37,499**	**38,253**	**–/–/–**	**102.2/–**	**377/–**	**553,926**	**377,304**	**2,378**	**0.1**	**4.7**	**155,642**	**4,860**	**2,610**	**24.0/13.6**	**12**	**M.ATL.**
New York	17,909	17,835	17,558	74	351	2.0	17,773	18,139	2/ 2/ 3	49.1/30	378/ 6	274,831	175,720	– 25,111	– 1.4	5.5	114,194	2,733	1,879	24.3/13.0	13	NY
New Jersey	7,721	7,674	7,365	47	356	4.8	7,899	8,980	9/ 9/10	7.8/46	1,034/ 1	114,694	73,495	5,801	0.8	5.4	30,849	1,025	573	23.7/13.1	12	NJ
Pennsylvania	12,001	11,942	11,864	59	137	1.2	11,827	11,134	4/ 5/ 6	45.3/33	267/ 8	164,401	128,089	22,688	1.9	3.0	10,599	1,102	159	23.7/14.9	13	PA
MIDWEST	**59,878**	**59,565**	**58,866**	**313**	**1,012**	**1.7**	**59,777**	**59,018**	**–/–/–**	**766.4/–**	**80/–**	**900,765**	**546,669**	**– 41,096**	**– 0.7**	**5.9**	**59,133**	**5,644**	**1,381**	**26.1/12.7**	**13**	**M.W.**
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	**42,119**	**41,941**	**41,682**	**178**	**437**	**1.0**	**42,055**	**41,111**	**–/–/–**	**248.5/–**	**173/–**	**635,619**	**381,593**	**– 76,026**	**– 1.8**	**6.0**	**46,045**	**4,794**	**1,167**	**26.1/12.3**	**13**	**E.N.C.**
Ohio	10,855	10,816	10,798	39	57	0.5	10,791	10,397	6/ 7/ 7	41.3/35	265/ 9	159,795	101,657	– 19,138	– 1.8	5.4	5,930	1,136	108	26.0/12.6	14	OH
Indiana	5,556	5,530	5,490	26	66	1.2	5,550	5,409	12/14/17	36.2/38	155/15	79,425	50,058	– 3,367	– 0.6	5.3	2,279	436	83	26.3/12.2	13	IN
Illinois	11,614	11,584	11,427	30	187	1.6	11,612	11,495	5/ 6/ 5	56.3/24	209/11	182,709	104,685	– 48,024	– 4.1	6.7	25,995	1,775	755	25.9/12.2	13	IL
Michigan	9,240	9,205	9,262	35	– 22	– 0.2	9,293	9,097	8/ 8/ 8	58.5/23	162/14	141,899	82,072	– 24,827	– 2.7	6.5	8,929	1,243	155	26.5/11.6	13	MI
Wisconsin	4,855	4,807	4,706	48	149	3.2	4,808	4,713	16/17/20	56.2/26	89/24	71,791	43,121	19,330	4.0	5.9	2,912	204	66	26.2/13.2	12	WI
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	**17,759**	**17,624**	**17,183**	**135**	**575**	**3.3**	**17,722**	**17,907**	**–/–/–**	**517.8/–**	**35/–**	**265,146**	**165,076**	**34,930**	**2.0**	**5.7**	**13,088**	**849**	**215**	**25.9/13.6**	**12**	**W.N.C.**
Minnesota	4,307	4,244	4,076	63	231	5.7	4,324	4,578	21/21/22	84.4/12	54/32	65,982	35,375	32,393	7.6	7.2	5,621	64	34	26.0/12.5	15	MN
Iowa	2,834	2,823	2,914	11	– 80	– 2.7	2,758	2,382	27/29/33	56.3/25	51/33	38,327	27,902	575	0.2	3.7	1,579	45	26	25.2/14.9	11	IA
Missouri	5,141	5,107	4,917	34	224	4.6	5,192	5,521	15/15/15	69.7/19	75/27	75,768	51,617	9,849	1.9	4.7	2,715	545	48	25.5/13.8	11	MO
North Dakota	667	671	653	– 4	14	2.2	660	611	46/46/48	70.7/17	10/45	10,427	5,615	– 4,812	– 7.2	7.2	305	3	3	27.4/13.5	14	ND
South Dakota	713	709	691	4	22	3.2	708	722	45/45/47	77.1/16	9/47	11,624	6,825	– 799	– 1.1	6.7	304	3	4	27.6/14.0	8	SD
Nebraska	1,602	1,594	1,570	8	32	2.1	1,588	1,529	35/36/38	77.4/15	21/41	24,106	15,192	– 914	– 0.6	5.6	760	53	30	26.4/13.8	9	NE
Kansas	2,495	2,475	2,364	20	131	5.6	2,492	2,564	32/32/32	82.3/14	31/39	38,912	22,550	3,638	1.5	6.6	1,804	137	70	26.2/13.5	11	KS
SOUTH	**84,655**	**83,863**	**75,372**	**792**	**9,283**	**12.3**	**87,276**	**104,919**	**–/–/–**	**898.6/–**	**97/–**	**1,323,437**	**748,674**	**217,237**	**2.6**	**6.8**	**147,518**	**15,253**	**5,337**	**26.6/12.3**	**10**	**S**
SOUTH ATLANTIC	**42,426**	**41,701**	**36,959**	**725**	**5,467**	**14.8**	**43,742**	**55,110**	**–/–/–**	**278.9/–**	**159/–**	**636,725**	**388,452**	**476,727**	**11.3**	**5.9**	**92,237**	**8,343**	**1,404**	**24.9/13.1**	**10**	**S.A.**
Delaware	660	648	594	12	66	11.1	666	790	47/47/45	2.0/49	342/ 7	10,002	5,724	7,722	11.8	6.5	621	106	10	25.2/11.7	13	DE
Maryland	4,622	4,536	4,217	86	405	9.6	4,729	5,688	18/19/14	10.5/42	470/ 5	73,201	38,800	51,599	11.3	7.5	11,846	1,076	71	24.8/10.8	12	MD
District of Columbia	617	621	638	– 4	– 21	– 3.4	614	672	–/–/–	0.1/–	9,794/–	10,307	7,572	– 2,735	– 4.4	4.4	2,572	437	18	22.4/12.5	7	DC
Virginia	6,015	5,914	5,347	101	668	12.5	6,157	7,410	14/12/12	40.8/36	151/16	90,877	48,360	58,483	9.8	7.1	11,235	1,091	87	24.4/10.6	9	VA
West Virginia	1,876	1,898	1,950	– 22	– 73	– 3.8	1,856	1,617	34/34/36	24.2/41	78/26	23,188	20,255	– 2,933	– 1.6	1.6	530	64	8	25.4/14.3	14	WV
North Carolina	6,489	6,409	5,882	80	607	10.3	6,690	8,154	10/10/11	52.7/28	133/17	94,677	56,642	41,965	6.5	5.9	3,181	1,392	39	25.2/11.9	9	NC
South Carolina	3,470	3,426	3,122	44	348	11.2	3,549	4,205	24/25/24	31.1/40	115/20	53,441	29,149	19,708	5.7	7.0	1,480	1,012	20	27.3/10.9	11	SC
Georgia	6,342	6,227	5,463	115	879	16.1	6,663	9,045	13/11/ 9	58.9/21	109/21	103,803	51,368	62,565	10.0	8.3	6,118	1,600	48	28.0/10.0	8	GA
Florida	12,335	12,022	9,746	313	2,588	26.6	12,818	17,530	7/ 4/ 4	58.7/22	228/10	177,229	130,582	266,353	21.9	3.8	54,654	1,565	1,102	22.7/17.8	11	FL
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	**15,344**	**15,286**	**14,666**	**58**	**678**	**4.6**	**15,597**	**16,847**	**–/–/–**	**181.9/–**	**86/–**	**222,928**	**145,212**	**– 19,716**	**– 1.3**	**5.1**	**6,116**	**3,033**	**63**	**26.9/12.4**	**9**	**E.S.C.**
Kentucky	3,727	3,723	3,661	4	66	1.8	3,745	3,710	23/23/26	40.4/37	94/23	51,994	35,443	– 12,551	– 3.4	4.4	1,381	264	14	26.3/12.4	10	KY
Tennessee	4,895	4,855	4,591	40	304	6.6	4,972	5,500	17/16/16	42.1/34	119/19	68,839	46,027	17,188	3.5	4.7	2,276	766	18	25.6/12.5	9	TN
Alabama	4,102	4,084	3,894	18	209	5.4	4,181	4,609	22/22/21	51.7/29	81/25	60,306	38,608	– 3,698	– 0.9	5.3	1,597	1,055	18	27.2/12.5	10	AL
Mississippi	2,620	2,624	2,521	– 4	99	3.9	2,699	3,028	31/31/29	47.7/32	55/31	41,789	25,134	– 16,655	– 6.4	6.4	862	949	12	29.8/12.3	8	MS
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	**26,885**	**26,876**	**23,747**	**9**	**3,138**	**13.2**	**27,937**	**32,961**	**–/–/–**	**437.7/–**	**63/–**	**463,784**	**215,010**	**– 239,774**	**– 8.9**	**9.3**	**49,165**	**3,677**	**3,871**	**29.1/10.8**	**12**	**W.S.C.**
Arkansas	2,395	2,388	2,286	7	108	4.7	2,427	2,624	33/33/31	53.2/27	46/35	34,999	25,019	– 2,980	– 1.2	4.2	861	392	14	27.1/14.6	9	AR
Louisiana	4,408	4,448	4,206	– 40	202	4.8	4,513	4,545	19/20/23	47.8/31	99/22	74,861	37,395	– 37,466	– 8.5	8.5	3,824	1,348	98	29.4/10.9	11	LA
Oklahoma	3,242	3,259	3,025	– 17	217	7.2	3,285	3,511	26/27/28	70.0/18	47/34	48,278	29,929	– 18,349	– 5.6	5.6	2,131	228	70	27.2/13.0	12	OK
Texas	16,841	16,781	14,229	60	2,612	18.4	17,712	22,281	3/ 3/ 2	266.8/ 2	64/29	305,646	122,667	– 122,979	– 7.3	10.9	42,349	1,910	3,690	29.6/ 9.9	14	TX
WEST	**50,679**	**49,697**	**43,172**	**982**	**7,506**	**17.4**	**52,261**	**65,622**	**–/–/–**	**1,785.0/–**	**29/–**	**884,892**	**376,075**	**473,183**	**9.4**	**10.1**	**202,217**	**2,601**	**7,861**	**26.9/10.9**	**15**	**W**
MOUNTAIN	**13,328**	**13,173**	**11,373**	**155**	**1,955**	**17.2**	**13,995**	**17,679**	**–/–/–**	**863.6/–**	**16/–**	**235,268**	**95,192**	**14,924**	**1.1**	**10.6**	**19,894**	**322**	**1,687**	**28.8/10.8**	**14**	**MTN**
Montana	805	809	787	– 4	18	2.3	805	794	44/44/44	147.0/ 4	6/48	12,388	6,766	– 5,622	– 7.0	7.0	341	2	11	27.5/12.8	8	MT
Idaho	1,003	1,000	944	3	59	6.2	1,017	1,079	41/42/43	83.6/13	12/44	16,119	7,486	– 5,633	– 5.6	8.6	682	3	42	30.3/11.8	13	ID
Wyoming	479	490	470	– 11	10	2.1	502	487	49/50/50	97.8/ 9	5/49	7,591	3,097	– 4,494	– 9.3	9.3	261	4	27	29.4/ 9.4	7	WY
Colorado	3,301	3,293	2,890	8	411	14.2	3,434	4,098	28/26/25	104.1/ 8	32/37	54,479	21,600	– 24,879	– 7.5	10.0	4,562	120	384	26.3/ 9.5	14	CO
New Mexico	1,507	1,496	1,303	11	204	15.6	1,632	2,248	37/37/34	121.6/ 5	12/43	27,590	10,567	– 6,023	– 4.0	11.3	2,302	29	551	29.8/10.3	7	NM
Arizona	3,489	3,400	2,718	89	771	28.4	3,752	5,319	29/24/18	114.0/ 6	31/38	64,141	27,277	52,136	15.1	10.7	7,189	92	533	27.3/12.8	19	AZ
Utah	1,690	1,680	1,461	10	229	15.7	1,776	2,171	36/35/35	84.9/11	21/42	35,717	9,277	– 16,440	– 9.8	15.7	1,995	12	71	37.2/ 8.3	13	UT
Nevada	1,054	1,006	800	48	254	31.7	1,076	1,484	43/41/39	110.6/ 7	10/46	17,243	9,122	39,879	38.7	7.9	2,562	61	70	25.2/10.7	13	NV
PACIFIC	**37,351**	**36,524**	**31,800**	**827**	**5,551**	**17.5**	**38,265**	**47,943**	**–/–/–**	**921.4/–**	**42/–**	**649,624**	**280,883**	**458,259**	**12.4**	**10.0**	**182,323**	**2,279**	**6,174**	**26.3/10.9**	**15**	**PAC.**
Washington	4,648	4,542	4,132	106	516	12.5	4,657	5,282	20/18/19	68.1/20	70/28	71,218	35,818	70,600	15.4	7.7	9,684	122	142	25.6/11.9	21	WA
Oregon	2,767	2,723	2,633	44	133	5.1	2,766	2,991	30/30/30	97.1/10	29/40	39,155	24,764	29,609	10.8	5.2	3,687	41	76	24.8/13.8	15	OR
California	28,314	27,653	23,668	661	4,646	19.6	29,126	37,347	1/ 1/ 1	158.7/ 3	181/12	508,673	211,916	364,243	13.0	10.6	161,164	2,074	5,873	26.5/10.6	15	CA
Alaska	524	524	402	0	123	30.5	576	765	50/49/46	591.0/ 1	1/50	11,790	2,097	– 9,693	– 18.5	18.5	992	18	12	31.9/ 3.8	40	AK
Hawaii	1,098	1,082	965	16	134	13.8	1,141	1,559	39/39/37	6.5/47	171/13	18,788	6,268	3,500	3.2	11.5	6,796	23	72	26.1/10.4	3	HI

	Population, 1988	Population, 1987	Population, 1980	Change 1987-1988	Change 1980-1988	Change(%), 1980-1988	Population, 1990	Population, 2010	Rank, 1980/1988/2010	Area/Rank	Population Density/Rank	Births, 1987-1988	Deaths, 1987-1988	Net Migration, 1987-1988	Net Migration Rate, 1987-1988	Natural Increase Rate, 1987-1988	Immigrants Admitted, FY 1987	Black Population, 1985	Hispanic Population, 1985	Population < 18/65+	Export Employment, 1986

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